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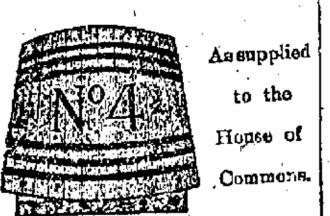
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All the items on the lengthy programme were watched with the greatest interest Strange Stories from a Chinese and the audience was not slow in marking their appreciation of the cleverly performed feats. Miss Nellie Harmston Love opened the programme by displaying her equestrienne abilities and was followed by Miss Jennie Harmston Love in a very pretty tambourine dance. Then came some daring and graceful feats on horseback by Miss Marie which were deservedly applauded. Almero, the midshipman afloat, performed many thrilling acts in mid-air from a pole and he was warmly greeted on descending. The jumping barrel act by Harry and Edith Frantz and Dummy was truly marvellous and is | New Light on Immortality, by H. E. really well worth seeing. The manceuvres by the Shetland ponies, introduced by Mr A. Ryan were particularly good while the graceful contortion act by Miss Florizell, was one of the successes of the evening. Mddle. Abs introduced a heavy weight Dramatic Elecution and Action, by lifting act and justly merited the spontaneous applause accorded to her. Mddle The Sporting Rifle, The Shooting of Abs lifted a weight of 150 lbs. with comparative case and this was eclipsed by her tearing a pack of cards in twain and carrying a man on either arm, to be again outdone in lifting a horse, of an estimated weight of 11 cwt. The performing tigers were introduced by Mr John and Paul Ragoul and their feats materially added to the success of the evening. The Frantz Troups gave a very refined drawing-room entertainment and their exhibition left nothing to be desired. The applause which greeted their final feat was tremendous. Miss Jennie Harmston next introduced an excedingly pretty act and came in for a due share of approbation. So splendidly performed was the musical act by the Emanuels that an encore was demanded. Their entertainment was certainly excellent in every way. The clowns, Pimple and Roberts, were responsible for a good deal of merriment throughout the evening. The concluding and most sensational item was that of Looping the Loop, by Mr William Schultz, whose performance gained for him unstinted applause. Afternoon performances are to be given on Wednesdays

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Sir Thomas, at the above mentioned meeting, said though their returns showed a falling off of £50,000 on the figures of last year, still the company had come satisfactorily through the period of depression the world had been experiencing, and, considering the low figure at which the fleet had been written down, it would be seen that they stood in a very strong position The outward Indian trade had improved somewhat since the heated quarrel with the German lines was settled. They looked for further expansion of the China trade. The Australian trade was, he regretted to say, not so good as it was eighteen years ago.

Dealing with the opium traffic he said it was now merely a figment of what it was in the past. From a philanthropic point of view they might be glad to see the extinction of the opium trade but as shippers it meant a grievous loss. The Chinaman seemed so |constituted that a certain amount of opium was as needful to him as beer was, in this country, for the working man.

Speaking of the cost of coal and the consequent surtax on the passengers' fares of ten per cent, he said though the directors would like to take the surtax off he saw no immediate prospect of their being able to do it; nor did he see any immediate prospect of improvement in trade. He hoped, however, that the great coalfields of China would soon be opened up.

In spite of all their difficulties, however, the position of the company was much sounder and healthier than a few years ago. They had continued to pay satisfactory dividends and he looked forward to maintenance of the success they had so long enjoyed.

The death of Sir Ewen Cameron, K.C.M.G., late London Manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, at the age of 67, at his house in Hampstead, though deeply regretted by the Anglo-Chinese colony in London, was not unexpected, and as he was known to have been a great sufferer for years the regret was tempered with the consideration that release from pain must have been

welcomed by him. At a memorial service in Hampstead there were representatives of all the great firms trading in the East and also of the Government, which from time to time used to consult him in regard to Chinese finances. In the city he is spoken of as a man of deep knowledge and unfailing courtesy. The interment has been carried out in the family vault at Inverness.

The appointment of Admiral Sir Day 30 Bosanquet as Governor of South Australia has been well received both here and in Australia. He has seen a good deal of service since as a midshipman, he was engaged in the China war and took part in the taking of Canton and the Peiho Forts.

The death of the American Admiral Coghlan, friend of Admiral Dewey, recalls the sensation made ten years ago, when at MACLEAY DUFF'S a public dinner in New York he recited the audacious lines known as "Hoch der Kaiser" following the reported friction between Dewey and the German Admiral von Deidrich at Manila Bay.

There are numerous notabilities in these last days quitting or preparing to quit our wintry shores till Spring comes again. Sir Henry and Lady Blake are en route for a health trip to the West Indies, where they have many friends.

Senor Consalves Pereira, Brazilian Minister to China and Japan, who has been here on a private visit to London, has left for a few days' trip to Paris, preparatory to resuming his duties in the East.

Lord and Lady Raleigh are doing a world trip and will, in due course, strike your Provisions. colony on their eastward route. Lord Frederic Hamilton is another noble-

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# Intimations.

HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

ANNUAL SHOW.

THE FLOWER and VEGETABLE SHOW will be held on the 26th and 7th FEBRUARY, in the BOTANIC GARDENS. Intending Exhibitors should send in their entries to the Hon. Secretary not later than 18th February. Copies of the Rules and Schedule may be obtained from the Hon. Secretary. L. GIBBS.

6. Beaconsfield Arcade. Hongkong, January 13, 1909,

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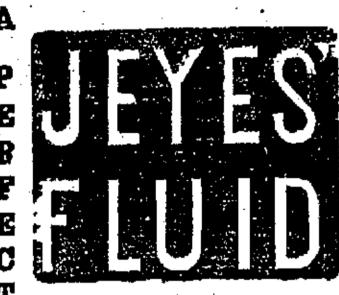
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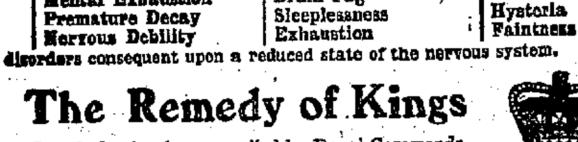
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The "Manchester Dispatch" solemnly records a story in that murky city as illustrating the difficulties besetting the paths of missionaries to the Chinese. There has been a movement to bring together the Chinese community in Manchester, teach them English and bring them under Christian influences. Well. the other day only one Chinaman turned up at the religious service. He was of course asked what was the matter with his friends, and he replied that there had been sickness in the Chinese community which was at once set down to evil spirits and at last the Chinese had come to the conclusion that the anger of the spirits had been roused by their desertion of the faith of their ancestors for that of the barbarians.

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He said he admired some of the institutions of China immensely. One, for instance, was the manner in which thanks were returned after a feast. The guest merely made a polite bow to his host, said "Thank you", and went away without any MILNERS long speech about it.

Many of the dishes provided were very curious. A friend told him that in one part of China at the end of a feast the head of a rat was presented to each guest, in a beautiful little porcelain cup. That was the bonne bouche. Latterly the fashion of such entertainments had changed TTRR

very much with the progress of civilisation. Sir Robert has just been admitted as a member of the Paviors and other City Companies, and invitations are pouring in also from numerous provincial cities, beginning with the Manchester Chamber of Commerce for their forthcoming annual banquet.

Politically we are on the eve of busy times, unless all the signs are wrong. The Commons and the Lords are to cross their swords from now on. I am informed that the scheme is to run a democratic Budget next March-and the outlook for it is not so bad as it was a month ago-then bring in sundry measures tempting to the rural and urban workers particularly, finally to introduce a comprehensive redistribution and franchise extending bill, and appeal to the country on a platform of an elective Upper House, certain specified social reforms and the maintenance of Free Trade If the Liberals maintain their office at the general election, to be fought in the spring of 1910, Mr Asquith will join the reformed Upper House and Lloyd George will guide the proceedings in the House of

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Thursday, January 28 :--11.15 s.m. - Meeting of Hongkong Land Reclamation Co., Ld., at Co.'s, Offices. 11.30 a.m. - Meeting of The West Point Building Co., Ld., at Co.'s Offices. Noon-Meeting of Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Ld., at Co.'s

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TURKEY AND THE PEACE OF EUROPE.

By a happy coincidence the adjustment WHITE SPAL CAPSULE...... 3.00 of the differences between Austria and Turkey has been followed by other items of news concerning the Ottoman Empire which must be regarded as most hopeful and decidedly re-assuring. tion to which we have referred. There would, indeed, seem to be an awakening in Turkey which might should be ordered to be decanted before appropriately be compared with the renaissance in Japan and with the new the most important information which warrants a belief that Turkey is on the threshold of a brighter era is evening of the 11th. The steamship lines boat and then attacked its occupants. tinople which states that the engagere-organise the Army and Navy res. Manila P. I. pectively has been decided upon, and, further that emphasis has also been

that a number of Turkish officers, including a son of the Sultan, are to proceed to America in order to avail themselves of the benefits of a course of naval study there, while a further

passed, apparently with enthusiasm,

vote of confidence in the Government. It was not a score of years ago that clothing, Boots and Shoes, a well-known student of Asiatic conditions penned the following words:- candidates appear in our columns this "For more than a hundred years the 679 spirit of our Western civilisation has mocked at the door of the Moslem world in Asia without being able to show any striking result." But at last the change has come, and if the Sultan and his Government are serious in their plans. and are prepared to devote themselves will, at any rate, stand out in striking decision to set to work with a view to re-organising and improving the Army the Turks intend to escape being swallowed up by their near neighbours, May the best man win. for the inefficient and ill-disciplined preservation of the Ottoman Empire have long been the subject of criticism almost amounting to ridicule. But it is not only in military matters that the hand of order needs to make its

appearance. The notoriously unsound financial condition of the country loudly cries out for reform, while much has to be done in the way of instructing the people, the bulk of whom are totally ignorant and neglected. It must not be assumed, however, that this reform movement has suddenly A. M. Moreno as consul in Hongkoug.

sprung into being within the last few months, rather should recent events and declarations be regarded in the light of a rejuvenated desire on the part of the Turkish Government and people to continue, at a more satisfactory rate of progress, along a course mapped out several years ago. If it is true that since that time the advancement has not been so rapid as might have Correspondents must forward their names been hoped, yet, on the other hand, we his pockets occasionally. and addresses with any communications ad must never lose sight of the fact that within the confines of the Turkish Empire are many disturbing conflicting elements rarely found else-No anonymously signed communications that | where, and that it is consequently hardly fair to expect the sudden other shoes of each pair untouched. transformation of Asiatic races into a consolidated Power on Western lines. As Professor VAMBERY once observed dreamers, ignorant of testimony of practical life, ould think that a free Constitution would fill up at once the gulf deepened by many centuries of religious animosity and widened by the hard rule of the conquerer over the conquered. No

> such a thing would be even in Europe a sheer impossibility." So we look forward with hope to the future, feeling that this latest pronouncement on the part of Turkey of a desire for peaceful relationships with her near neighbours, may, admitting it -long we hope to remain only a possihated as she is, has everything to gain by a policy of friendship towards Europe, but at the same time there i

that other soothing aspect of the situs For further information all interested appeared on the scene and succeeded

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMED

### THE SANITARY BOARD ELECTIONS.

If present appearances go for anything there should be a big poll at the Sanitary Board Election to-morrow, and the Government would be well advised to extend the hours of polling. As now arranged the ballot hoxes will open at 2 o'clock at the that the Constantinople Chamber has City Hall and close two hours later. If the time limit had been fixed at four hours it would have been far more reasonable and in accordance with the dictates of

The election addresses of the four evening and they speak for themselves. It seems to be generally expected that Mr Shelton Hooper will head the poll, his past generous services on the Sanitary Board being greatly appreciated by the public. He certainly deserves the vote of every elector in the Colony and we hope, at any rate, that his majority will be thumping hig one. It will be the only way the public can express to him their thanks for his unselfish vigilance in their behalf. The electors have however to whole-heartedly to needed reforms, then chose his running mate from the two Turkey may yet have a future which medical practitioners and the chartered Morrell for the recovery of \$250, being pro- in Egypt and America's in the accountant who offer themselves for their fessional fees, came before Mr Justice Philippines. suffrages. They are all three good men Gompertz, at the Supreme Court, this contrast to its more recent past. The and true and the voting will probably be afternoon, very close. Mr Belilos has local associations behind him, and is a man of independent views; Mr Fitzwilliams is a and Navy is a highly necessary one if man of sober commonsense and possesses experience of public life, while Mr Smith has much reputation as an accountant.

offer their services. The names of Mr Tso, Mr Chau Sui Kee and Mr Ho Kom Tong are among those mentioned as likely nominees for the vacancies.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

At the Y.M.C.A. Debating Society to-night an interesting debate will be held on compulsory military service.

H.M.S. King Alfred, Admiral Lambton's flagship, returned from its cruise to the South, on Monday evening.

The Government of Panama has appointed Mr L. C. Herrera to succeed Mr

By an interesting coincidence Chinese New Year begins on the anniversary of the accession of King Edward VII., Jan. 22nd;

The Finance committee of the American Senate has favourably reported the bill increasing the salary of the President from Mr Allana sued her and filed his petition \$50,000 to \$100,000 a year. Judge Mullowny, of the Washington police court, holds that it is legal for a wife to search her husband's clothes while he

sleeps, and further that a woman doesn't

A theft with its amusing aspect has been reported to the police. Yesterday s native gained admission to the Military Barracks in Bowen Road and stole a pair of boots, but they happened to be two left ones, and the thief in his hurry left the

Five new vessels are to be completed | has for the Japanese Navy this year. They comprise the battleship Satsuma, armoured cruisers Ibuki and Tone, and the destroyers Isonami and Ayanami. In addition to these, work on two submarine

boats is expected to be finished. A former pupil of Queen's Collge, Dr Wong Chun Yik, who completed the Hongkong medical curriculum a year ago, is now studying for the degrees of M. B., Ch. B. at Edinburgh University. The university admitted him without preliminary examination and granted him a much shortened curriculum; and the General Medical Council of Great Britain allowed his registration as a medical student in Great of the U.S.N., who recently retired. Britain to be ante-dated so as to include

his medical study in Hongkong. While walking along Gutzlaff Street one evening a "boy" was suddenly stabled does nothing else, that awful possibility bolted. He was taken to hospital in serious condition, and, from what he said an amah, with whom he had previously bility—namely, a general European been associated was suspected of having conflagration. Of course, Turkey, sit prompted the attack, the suggestion being that she was jealous of another woman to whon the "boy" had transferred his affections. At the Magistracy to-day the amah and a man with whom she lives were charged with conspiring to wound, and were remanded .-

During the unloading of a junk at A The first annual meeting of the Philip- King's slipway, Wanchai, yesterday, a free pine Dental Society will be held in Manila | fight took place between agang of coolies and on the two days immediately following the the men in charge of the boat. It seems Carnival, February 10 and 11, 1909. The that the disturbance arose in consequence spirit which is making itself felt dental profession in all the countries of the of the boatmen being unable to get the China at this time. By far Far East is cordially invited to be present. junk as close to the shore as the coolies The programme consists of essays and wished by reason of the low state of the clinics relating to the dental profession. I tide. This annoyed the coolies who began The meeting closes with a dinner on the throwing bricks and other missiles at the contained in a message from Constant from Hongkong offer a reduction of rates. throwing a child overboard. The police should apply to Dr Louis Ottofy, Chairman, savesting seven of the coolies, who at the ment of German and British officers to Committee of Arrangements, 64 Escolts. Magistracy this morning were each fined \$10 by Mr J.R. Wood.

HAMBERLAIN'S Cough Remedy has given by the Government to the necessity remoty sers of manyes plan.

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### BULGARIA'S OFFER TO TURKEY.

82,000,000 FRANCS.

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Rumelia. The offer is criticised in political circles in Sofia in view of Bulgaria's unfavourable financial position.

seizure of the railway in Eastern

THE EMPEROR OF CHINA. It is rumoured in the North that the young Emperor of China is suffering from

small-pox.

CLAIM FOR COSTS. The case in which Miss Minnie Haydn was sued by Messrs Goldring. Barlow and

Mr O. D. Thomson appeared for the plaintiffs and defendant appeared in person. His Lordship:-(To defendant)-Do you

admit this claim? Defendant :- Well it isn't alright. There was a judgment in the Allana case. He is not bankrupt: he has plenty of money. I The terms for which Mr Lau Chu Pak had an agreement with Mr Morrell at the and Mr Fung Wa Chun were appointed as beginning of the case and he said he forces charged with the protection and members of the Sanitary Board expire in would take the case as he was sure to win March, and they do not intend to again but in any case he would wait until the case was finished. Defendant had asked what it would be likely to cost and Mr Morrell had said that the cost would be about \$100 and she gave him a deposit of instituted regarding Persia.

\$25 and had a receipt for it. Mr Thomson-Of course I cannot say as to that. Mr Morrell is not here at for Foreign Affairs, has presented a His Lordship-Is Mr Morrell out of the

derstand that the statements made by the defendant are not correct. professional work being done and the account rendered on December 4. The amount was for \$250. Defendant had not paid anything on account so far as witness

Questioned by His Lordship witness said that nothing had been received on

Mr Thomson :- Did you act in any other case for the defendant! There was an-That is not included in this bill ? No. His Lordship:—Will Mr Morrell be back soon? Witness, about eight months, Defendant then gave evidence and said in bankruptcy and judgment was given for the defendant. Before this case defendant had talked to Mr. Morrell about it, and she said she was in need of money and could not afford a large fee. Mr Morrell had said the fee would be about \$100 and he would require a deposit, in case that defendant lost the case. Witness love her husband unless she goes through asked him how much he wanted and he replied "\$25" for which she had the receipt. After the case was finished he had said he would collect the

money from Mr Allanah. She received a letter when she was ill and later had gone to the office twice but only saw a clerk. Mr Thompson:—After the case was finished Mr Morrell wrote you a letter for

Let me see the letter? I have not got it with me. I think plaintiffs have acted for you in other proceedings ? Mr Goldring Have you paid them for that? Yes. Have you got the receipts? Yes, but

not with me. For \$25.? No. His Lordship:—How did you pay this money, by cheque! No, I paid cash.
You sent it down by messenger? Yes. And got an official receipt ? Yes.

The case was adjourned until to-morrow.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Captain William P. Kimball has bee appointed to succeed Rear-Admiral Emory.

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### ADVANTAGES OF EUROPEAN EXPANSION.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S

OPTIMISTIC OUTLOOK

(From Our Own Correspondent.) London, January 19.

President Roosevelt, speaking at the Dismond Jubiles celebrations in connection with the Methodist African Missions, said the British occupation of India, the French of Algiers, the Dutch of Java, and the Russians of Turkestan were proofs of the advantages of European expansion. India was the most colossal example in history of successful administration and was agreater feat than any since the days of the Roman Empire, being the noblest achievement of a white race for two centuries. He praised England's rule

### PARLIAMENT FOR PERSIA.

forcing the shah's hand.

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LONDON, January 18. Fresh Anglor Russian steps have been-

M. Izvolsky, the Russian Minister memorandum to Sir Arthur Nicholson, British Ambassador at St Petersburg. Mr Thomson-He is in Borneo. I un- favouring steps being taken with a view to convincing the Shah of the absolute Plaintiffs clerk gave evidence of the necessity of his convoking a Legislative Parliament. He considers a loan indispensable in view of the helplessness of the Government owing to the emptiness of the Treasury.

This will impose upon the Shah the obligation of accepting a political systempresenting guarantees of stability.

RUSSIA'S LOAN.

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London, January 18.

January 15th is \$83. It is well received LONDON, January 19. The English portion of the loan is

The issue price of the Russian loan of

# continental portion is not yet issued. THE PANAMA CANAL

covered four-fold, while five-fold of the

SCANDALS. (Reuter's Service to the China Mail: Copyright protected under

Ordinance 5 of 1894.)

London, January 18. A Washington message states that the United States Government has begun libel suits against the New York World and the Indianapolis News in Bishop Brent was a passenger by the connection with the Panama Canal Rubi en route to Shanghai for the Opium allegations on December 17th. This is the first action of this nature since the year 1798. The defendants dispute the constitutionality of the proceedings.

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### THE BURNS-JOHNSON FIGHT.

DETAILS OF THE CONTEST.

# Burns Admits Being Fairly

Beaten.

Australian newspapers to hand by this morning's mail contain lengthy accounts of the world's championship boxing competition between Jack Johnson, the coloured fighter, and Tommy Burns, the previous holder of the championship. The admission money amounted to over

THE CONTEST.

£26,000.

The weights were given, Johnson, 13st 7lb, Burns, 12st 0½lb, but Burns explains that his actual weight was 11st 12lb, whereas he had hoped to enter the ring at his usual fighting weight of 12st 6lb to 12st 8lb.

In the Squires fight Burns would anticipate attack by striking Squires softly on the biceps of the hitting arm, thus taking all the fire out of the blow. This time, however, Burns found that Johnson was, a master of this ruse as well, and, checkmate every attack.

Johnson was greatly the superior of Burns; in fact, it seemed possible that he that Australia is to be outclassed and could have beaten him in half the time had finally vanquished by these dark skinned he so chosen. Instead of doing so he protracted the combat, apparently that he might enjoy the more the discomfiture of and humiliating to contemplate the fact his opponent. His superiority as a boxer that the very Church of which this man was undeniable, and his height and strength served him in good stead. All the little had no condemnation for his impious and tricky movements by which Burns succeed. brutal profession. For both here and in ed in landing short stabbing body blows on England, the Church was eager to make this morning, before Mr Justice Gompertz, to the performance of the duties which the Squires were circumvented on this occasion by sheer force of muscle. When Burns's arm locked his own in a clinch, so that he could not deliver a blow, Johnson simply shifted it to where he wanted it, and then struck. Summed up, the position was that, doubt. I tried to win. Even up to the in out-fighting Burns could not reach Johnson, while every time they got into holds, received one or more solid punches before they broke free, and was himself powerless to display his ability in the line of boxing in which he had hitherto been regarded as pre-eminent.

Most of the fighting was done in clinches. ficent, but it was not war according to the I shall be welcome." Marquis of Queensberry. The game i divested of the greater part of the grace and movement which characterised it in this country a year or two back, and under the new conditions the battle is largely to the strong. This is not to say that Burns would have done any better had the rules been interpreted according to the old reading. In fact, the chances are tha under such circumstances the fight would have been over much sooner. From th fifth round onward, Burns fought with sprained ankle, but this seemed to affect him but little; for even in the closing rounds his footwork was excellent, and his poise perfect even when the upper part o his frame was manifestly weak.

From beginning to end, Burns did not get what is known as a look-in. As he prevailed over Squires by a system of infighting new to Australia, so did Johnson beat him by the same tactics. Those who saw Burns for the first time on Saturday must have left the Stadium convinced that he knew not even the rudiments pugilism at close quarters, while after th contest with Squires everybody looked

upon him as the last word in the art. For twelve rounds the fight continued, with Johnson ascendant, and still ascending. His immense reach enabled him to touch Burns in vulnerable points where a smaller man would have been powerless. For instance, whon in holds he was able to deal severe blows on Burns' head with his right hand shot from beneath Burns' left elbow. while if he was more to one side, he would swing heavy slaps with his right hand over Burns back. Burns got in a few short be very rife in the Colony. This one took that recommended by the Commission, hits on the negro's body, but they lacked force, and, in the words of nearly everybody present, the whole contest was just what might have been expected had the contestants been a man and a schoolboy.

Up to the twelfth round Burns, despite his terrible punishment, was remarkably But towards the end of the round Johnson but declined to do so, saying that they had time on account of all the workmen avail- the Colony for five years my business in fresh, and his foot work was delightful. roughed him into a corner, and delivered not finished their smoke. The men then able being engaged in making good typhoon the management of a large quantity of three swinging blows in succession. One got up and one of the fokis thinking damage, is a sufficient indication that the Chinese property has given me a very concaught Burns on the ribs, and the others they had finished took away the lamps, bureaucratic administration of the Build- siderable insight into the working of the towed target will be held. One or more on the face, and how he felt their effect when two of the prisoners proceeded to ing Authority is worse than that of a Sanitary Regulations of the Colony. was shown when he came to his corner at push him about and eventually tied and Public Board.

solid face and body blows, followed by half was laying and there wrapped him up judgment thereon after every consideration freedom to criticise, and as far as possible a dozen of his favourite slaps over the in a quilt and threatened to take his of it from its hygienic, financial and gener- bring before the consideration of the Board lower part of the back, when Burns life. The master remained in this pre- al politic aspect. clinched for safety. As they broke he dicament while the looting was going on. I have without fear or favour freely I have no medical or other special knowswung a strong left on Burns's ear, which The two men appeared to have proceeded criticised the Government, its policy and ledge of Sanitation, and I think you will sent him staggering, and before Burns to the accountant's room and while showing the conduct of its officers, and I purpose agree with me that such knowledge is quite. The Vida Nova in a leader notifies with could shape again delivered a left on the the accountant some money they seized continuing the same policy. If you are unnecessary in the two members to be joy the new decree issued by H. E. Go continuing the same policy. If you are unnecessary in the two members to be joy the new decree issued by H. E. Go continuing the same policy. If you are unnecessary in the two members to be joy the new decree issued by H. E. Go continuing the same policy. If you are unnecessary in the two members to be joy the new decree issued by H. E. Go continuing the same policy. If you are unnecessary in the two members to be joy the new decree issued by H. E. Go continuing the same policy. If you are unnecessary in the two members to be joy the new decree issued by H. E. Go continuing the same policy. If you are unnecessary in the two members to be joy the new decree issued by H. E. Go continuing the same policy. If you are unnecessary in the two members to be joy the new decree issued by H. E. Go continuing the same policy. If you are unnecessary in the two members to be joy the new decree issued by H. E. Go continuing the same policy. on the jaw. Burns shook to the feet like him in like manner, besides putting wire your representative, I should continue to fession is already fully and most excellently future appointments in the public service a reed in the wind. His kness trembled," through his hair and altogether rendering do my best in the future as I have done in represented on the Board, but I shall hope are to be given to individuals born in and the necro swung another solid left on him powerless. The people on the first the past. his neck. There was a clinch, a break away, floor heard the noise and gave the alarm. I am. Gentlemen, and as Burns seemed likely to fall from After having seized some money from Your obedient sheer weakness, the gong sounded and the till the men ran away pursued by

many of the spectators imagined that his three were subsequently arrested by the jaw had been broken. But the injuries police to whom they all made statements. were merely superficial. The worst injury The second prisoner had given evidence at that Burns received was his sprained ankle. the Magistracy where he had said that he But when he rose from his chair his face had made the statement in consequence of shone with vaseline, with which his seconds | some inducement held out to him by the

had literally plantered him. In the interval Superintendent Mitchell and Dr. Maitland were seen in consulta- against the other prisoners. How far that tion, and the moment the fourteenth round was correct they would hear from the opened, the former moved up to the ring. evidence. side. Johnson lost no time, and, as he hit Burns a light blow on the head, they clinched. When the referee, Mr M'Intosh, | sentenced to four years' imprisonment with broke them, Burns swayed on his feet like hard labour. a drunken man. Johnson stepped in and measured him, and swing a heavy blow on his ear. Durns dropped his hands. He was like a condemend prisoner swaiting the 10 matter how well your children may headsman, and Johnson was just as pitiless. IN appear to be, you are mover safe With all his force, he threw in blows of without a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough great weight. One would have knocked Remedy in the house. It never fails to Burns down but before he had time relieve and is perfectly sale to give the Telephone No. 787. to fall, the impact of the other made him little ones. For sale by all chemists and recover lie balarge. A moment later a storakeepere.

right swing on the jaw sent down Burns for eight seconds. As they came together again. Johnson awung a heavy-sounding left on Barns's mouth, and the champion tottered again. Then law stepped into the

ring in the person of the police officer. Burns was led to his corner. Mr McIntosh awarded the fight to Johnson on points. A few people cheered. The rest maintained silence, but though their sympathy was with the beaten man there was not one in the vast concourse who could deny that Johnson is the finest fighter who has seen within the memory of living Australians, if not living men.

CLERGYMAN'S DENUNCIATION. In the course of his sermon at the Forest-street (Bendigo) Methodist Church on the night after the fight the Rev. H Worrall said : "On Saturday for hours, that ghastly Stadium at Rushcutter Bay was made the scene of a carnival of savagery. Two human brutes fought with all the malice and vindictiveness of Bengal tigers. A crowd of 20,000 strong witnessed it; and there was spent sufficient money to

found and maintain a national university, money enough to send forth 400 cultured and inspired missionaries and to maintain them a year in the empires of paganism." "After all the boasting, bragging, and betting those 20,000 raving white Australians beheld their white champion beaten by the despised black man. Racial hatred has been set on fire. There would be by the defendant of plaintiff's share in the racial reprisals and recriminations. They Wo Fung firm of Hunghom. have by this doed put back the clock of having the longer reach, was able to history. There was not one redeeming feature in the savagery and brutality. God grant that the defeat of Saturday may not be the sullen and solemn prophecy

> people who everywhere are beginning to realise their immense possibilities. Continuing, Mr Worrall said it was sa Burns was a member, whose priests should have turned his thoughts to things sublime,

merchandise of him. BURNS' ADMISSION.

In a statement made on the day after the fight Burns said :by the referes. It was fair beyond all with the case time when the police stopped the contest I thought I had a chance; but I fully realise that up to that stage I was fairly benten. I do not wish to say a single word to depreciate Johnson's victory. He won, and I lost, and he deserves the credit.

"I am done with the ring. I intend to reside in Australia, and become an Australian citizen. This will be my future home I will live amongst friends for whom As a display by Johnson, it was magni- have a warm affection, and I feel sure that

### CORRESPONDENCE.

THE SANITARY BOARD ELECTION

(To the Editor of the "CHIA MAIL.") Dear Sir-I find that by inadvertence my manifesto was addressed to the Ratethis public opportunity of correcting the administration of the Public Health and much can be done by a member of the payment of 20 cents cash, Hongerror. Under the new Public Bealth Buildings Ordinance, be able to bring to Sanitary Board by the study of the needs Amended Ordinance passed last year, the light not only irregularities of a very of the various sections of the community, kong currency, for every change. classes of persons who are mentioned Mr Shelton Hooper's letter as being to render residence in this Colony for the wise measures, which, while her may The Rescuer, by Percy White. eligible to vote, can exercise the franchise whether they pay rates or not-I am Sir Yours faithfully.

GERARD H. L. FITZWILLIAMS, 31 Queen's Road, Hongkong.

#### ALLEGED ROBBERY WITH VIOLENCE.

Four natives were placed in the dock at by land sales alone go a great way to prove the Criminal sessions, to-day, before the Chief Justice, Sir Francis Piggott. on a charge of robbery with violence.

torney General, appeared for the Crown, Excellency the Governor appointed a Cominstructed by Mr H. L. Dennys, Jr., from the office of the Crown Solicitor.

The jurors were sworn in as follows: --R. V. Rutter, foreman; B. M. Castro, A. R. F. Raven, J. F. d'Almada e Castro, A. Jahrand, H. A. Schulter and C. R. Crispin. place at 236 Queen's Road Central, which regret to say that the transfer of a great was an opium divan, about midnight on part of the administration from the Sanitary December 31. Six men were said to have Board to the Building Authority, which was snown when he came to his corner at gagged him. They then tied another foki My endeavour in the past has been to in any fresh regulations they may consider the fight really ended in the thirteenth in the same manner and proceeded to approach every question submitted to the necessary to the Sanitation of the Colony, the bed on which the master of the divan Board with an entirely open mind, giving I shall always reserve to myself absolute to the contract of the divan Board with an entirely open mind, giving I shall always reserve to myself absolute.

a Chinese constable who was attracted As he went to his seat one side of his by the neighbours and succeeded in securing the first prisoner. The other police who had also assaulted him and saked him to come forward to give evidence.

> Evidence was then called. The first three prisoners were each.

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RINDERPEST AND FOOT AND THE SANITARY BOARD ELECTION.

MOUTH DISEASE.

At a meeting of the Sanitary Board this afternoon the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon reported that rinderpest was now at an Board, I beg to lay before you the end in shed No. 10 of the Dairy Farm premises, Sassoon's Villa, Pokfulum Road, and that foot and mouth disease was also at an end in sheds No. 11 and 12. The sheds had been cleansed and disinfected. and there were no deaths from foot and mouth disease; and of the 19 animals in | neglect of the former, I am able to show No. 10 shed two died.

The Colonial Veterinary Surgeon further | special training in this branch. reported that rinderpest had appeared in No. 7 shed, where there were 14 cows, one in the course delivered at Edinburgh bull, and one calf. He recommended that University in 1903, I took later an adthe shed be declared an infected area, and vanced postgraduate course in Hygione this was agreed to.

### A SHARE IN A CHINESE FIRM.

Mr Justice Gompertz, at the Supreme Court, to-day, gave judgment for the defendent in the case in which Wong Shi, single woman, brought an action against Leung In She, claiming \$1,000 for tresspass and for the unlawful conversion

His Lordship said that the facts and the evidence were very complicated and on the balance of the evidence he would give judgment for the defendant. He was not satisfied that the case set up by the plaintiff had been established. It was a case of considerable doubt and he could not help sympathising with the plaintiff in

### A CURIOUS SITUATION.

"I appear for the plaintiff," said Mr Otto Kong Sing, at the Supreme Court, and my client instructed me yesterday that position requires. I have the honour to the case is settled."

Mr O. D. Thomson appeared for the defendant and denied that the case was "I am satisfied with the decision given settled. His client was ready to go on 93

Mr Otto Kong Sing :- Well, my client says the case is settled and he is satisfied. He has gone to Canton. Mr Thomson :-- My client never paid

Mr Otto Kong Sing :- Someone did. Mr Thomson :- Then I ask for costs. Mr Otto Kong Sing :-- Perhaps your Lordship would put it in one of the lists so that I can see my client. His Lordship assented to this.

TO THE ELECTORS OF HONGKONG

The term of office for which you elected me as one of your representatives on the Sanitary Board in 1908 far reaching effect than can be anticipated being about to expire, I beg to offer myself by those more directly concerned in the as candidate for re-election.

vious occasion, I did so from a conviction this my home for many years to come. that, if I were elected to the Board, would, by a close investigation of the prosperity of our Colony. I consider that serious nature but such a harsh and and by the fullest discussion at the Board impolitic administration of the law as Chinese, especially the middle classes, the wealthy Chinese, who had been in the resconable and well considered. habit of resting very large amounts of money ir ded property, ceased doing so, thereby to sing a great depreciation in that class of strities, which naturally reflected payable by way of rates, and so destroying through the hurried acceptance of ideas, that confidence they hitherto had in the Government administration of property have well borne much modification. laws. The enormous reductions shown in the Government returns of amount realised I venture to remind you that I shall be

Sir Matthew Nathan was quick in disadministration and reputed corrupt practices. The result is well known. The Commission, so far as the admini-

stration was concerned, pointed out its weak points and recommended certain remedies and an alteration of the law. In many points the administration has The Hon Attorney General said that the been vastly improved; but as to the alcrime of robbery with violence appeared to teration of the law, which was contrary to

taken part in the affair but so far only four new does not undergo the scrutiny of a FITLEMEN :- Having been invited prisoners had been arrested in con- Public Board, has, to my mind, not been to by an influential deputation to offer latter was beaten at every point of the would tell them how these men entered The instance alone of about one hundred desire to place my services at the disposal S1, Queen's Road Central, the opium divan to smoke opium, about prosecutions undertaken against persons of the Colony in any matter conducive to 10 o'clock in the evening, where they for not carrying out notices of the Building its welfare, I beg to solicit your support at remained a considerable time smoking Authority, and which it was evident could the coming Election. after which they were asked to leave not be complied with within the specified Although I have only been resident in

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Not content with having attained honours and Banitation especially suited to conditions which prevail in warm and tropical climates; this course at the London School of Tropical Medicine, was delivered by Professor Simpson, so well known in Hong-kong, as one of the expert members on the late Inquiry Commission, sent out from England at the request of the public to investigate into the needs and requirements of the Colony from a sanatarian point of view. and who was in consequence able to embedy his Hongkong experiences in the course which I had the honour to asiend. Secondly. That as a practitioner in Hongkong I shall be more especially interested in the health of members of the brought in touch with cases of disease, in the localities in which they are brud. Thirdly. It is not only as a douter that I lay claim to your votes, but as a man who has, and can have no personal are to

apting professional knowledge to local con-ditions and not giving countenance to schemes of theory and experiment, imprac-tical in these days of financial depression. Lastly. Should you do me the honour to elect me to the post which I seek, I will endeavour to devote my energies faithfully

grind, and who will if elected, have the

Your obedient servant. GERARD H. L. FITZWILLIAMS,

M. D. CH B. AND F.R.C.S. EDINBURGH. SANITARY BOARD ELECTION.

TO THE ELECTORS OF HONORONG.

Hongkong, 18th January, 1909. CENTLEMEN, -I have the honour to come before you as a Candidate for a seat on the Sanitary Board of this Colony and to solicit your kind support.

As a member of the general public and ratepayer, I am fully aware of the import ance to my fellow Colonists of whatever nationality and status, of the opportunity afforded to the unofficial members of the Sanitary Board. Questions of Public Health affect us all, and legislation on Public Health matters have often a more In seeking your suffrages on the pre- practice in Hongkong and anticipate making ber and is entitled to exchange framing of our laws. I am now in medical I am therefore personally interested in the same for any other novel on meetings, to help the Government to frame | Patricia Baring, by Winifred James.

and am alive to the pressing necessity of The Web of Circumstance, by Isabel such. In the Colony's history in the past Burgin. it is well known that large sums of public The Elusive Pimpernel. by Baroness Orczy. on the Government by reducing the amount money have been unnecessarily expended. The Luck of Norman Dale, by Barry Pain which could on more careful consideration The Land of Silent Feet, by Arthur O.

Should I receive the honour of election Princess Penniless, by S. R. Crockett. within four months of Mr Humphreys and at your hands I shall not forget the duty The Old Wives' Tale, by Arnold Bennett, The Hon. Mr Rees Davies, K.C., At myself taking our seats on the Board, His I owe to the electors. I shall have their A Country Family, by Storer Clouston. mission to investigate and report on the ing before me the idea that the presperity The Golden Precipice, by H. B. Marriottand well being of the Colony at the present and the future is the goal to which we should all work, endeavour always to morit the trust reposed in me.

I have the honour to be, gentlemen,-Your most obedient Servant, R. A. Belilios.

M.D., F.R.C.S. (Ed).

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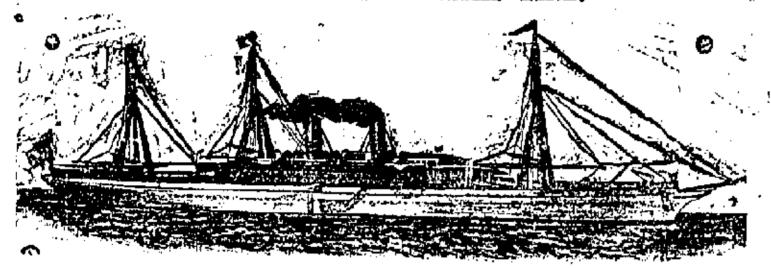
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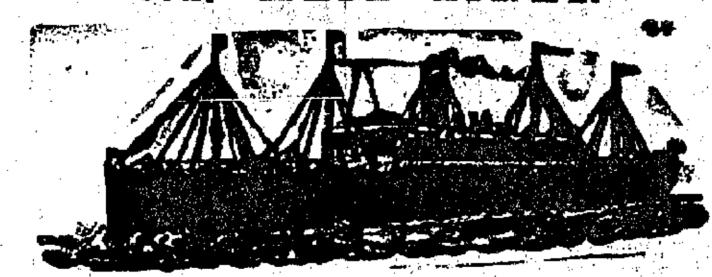
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Empire. In the changed conditions attendant upon a more peaceful era the original Horseman on the Skyline has vanished from our midst, but still in his place upon the horizon we find his successor, worthy son of a worthy sire, patrolling the boundary. which his father won by force of arms from many a watchful outpost and many a lonely men on the skyline, rounding up the cattle on the Rocky Mountain slopes, mustering the sheep on the Canterbury plains, overlanding on the Diamantina with stock whip and spur. These are times of peace, and the frontier horsemen no longer carry their lives in their hands, with a hidden danger behind the crest of every hill, but they have many difficulties to contend with and many obstacles to overcome; there is still room, where they ride, for British pluck and endurance, and all those finer qualities of tenderness and camaraderie which have made it easy for this nation to hold what her pioneers so hardly won. The horseman of to-day silhouetted upon Class Unisine.
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lives on the brink of freedom and th edge of infinite distance, and the horse is his only natural vehicle of progression; in the merch of civilisation it has become as well his intimate comrade and friend. The pioneer may be seen on foot with his axe, or his fencing tools, or between the stilts of his plough when occasion demands, but for the most part he lives in his saddle; and it is always as a centaur that he looms against the sky. His occupation is as varied as his paths lie wide apart. He may be a stockman or a mounted policeman; a hunter or a trader; a rabbit-fence inspector or a telegraph-line repairer; a team-driver, a drover, a clergy-man, or a cattle-thief. To all these professions, and many more too numerous to mention, he brings a native independence born with his surroundings, a courage that no temporary defeat can baffle, and gener-ally a gallant and a kindly heart. Here in Britain we see him dimly out-

ghostly trooper on a misty trail. But to those of us who knew him he is no dim of flesh and blood, sun-browned and weather-scarred, with a clear voice ringquarters of a bark-covered hut; sometimes he has a wife and family in the weather- Miyasaki Maru board cottage under the hill, but always his work takes him up to the sky-line, hidder

No longer does the spear lark for him in the cane grass, or the poisoned arrow in the sage-brush; but there are deadly enemies of drought and flood and fire, of starvation and thirst-wolves that hide about his homestead and steal his sheep and cattle, and circle the footsteps of his children when they wander from his door. With the courage of the father that bred him, he wars from dawn to dusk with the forces of bush or veldt or prairie, yielding no inch of the territory that his predecessors gave him to hold. In his veins runs the blood of conquerors, men that kept their bridges unburnt behind them; and their tradition he nobly upholds.

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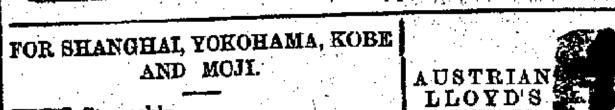
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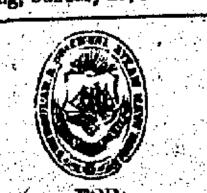
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THE Steamship DELHI, Captain J. D. Andrews, R.M.B., carrying His Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, &c., on SATURDAY, the 23rd January, 1909, an Noon, taking Pas. sengers and Cargo for the above ports in connection with the Company's Steamship Victoria, 7,000 toris, from Colombo, Pascaugers' accommodation in which vessel is secured before departure from Hongkong. Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Teafor London (underarrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into the mail steamer proceeding to Marselles and London; other cargo for London, doc, will be conveyed via Bombay by the R.M.S. Arcadia, due in London on the 5th March, Parcels will be received at this Office

until 4 p.m. the day before saling. The contents and value of all packages are For further Particulars, apply to B. A. HEWRTT.

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HAMBURG. THE Steamship CARNARYONSHIRE, will be despatched for the above ports about end of January, 1909.

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# Notice to Consignees.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo

WHARF, KOWLOON, which MHE H.A.L. Steamship will be open from that date to Captain BLOCK, having arrived, Conreceive and store cargo.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, AGENTS:

NAV. CO., LD. HOLT'S WHARF.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU, SHANGHAI AND JAPAN.

arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of Cargo from alongside.

Cargo impeding discharge of the vessel will be discharged at once, at Consignees

Cargo remaining on board after 5 p.m., THURSDAY, January 21st, 1909, will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and No Fire Insurance will be effected.

1909, at 10 A.M. S. SILVERSTONE,

Hongkong, January 18, 1909.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMER POLYNESIEN.

MARITIMES. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless

Intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon, To-day, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by are to be left in the Godowns, where they

the undersigned. Goods remaining unclaim- will be examined on WEDNESDAY, the 20th ed after MONDAY, the 25th January, at inst., at 3 P.M. Noon, will be subject to rent and landing

before the 25th January, or they will not on MONDAY, the 25th January, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, January 16, 1909.

THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO.'S STEAMER MALTA.

that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon where each Consign. ment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. less instructions are given to the contrary bafore 6 Hours.

4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me In any orse whatever. Codowns for examination by the ofter the govin have left the Godowns. E. A. HEWELL

Superinteridante. Hongkong, January 16, 1909.

THE AMERICAN AND ORIENTAL

will be despatched for the above ports on or about FRIDAY, the 12th February,

Notice to Consigness

OCEAN STEAMSHIP

CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION

and THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANIES' steamers are hereby notified that on and after 1st JANUARY, 1909, all cargo ex these steamers will be landed into HOLT'S

For Storage Rates land other particulars

THE OCEAN STEAMSHIP Co., Ld. TO DAY. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM

Hongkong, December 14, 1908.

NONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship above - named Vessel having

All cargo undelivered MONDAY, 25th ject to rent.

All chafed and otherwise damaged cargo will be landed at once at Consignees risk their Goods will be delivered from along and expense. Cargo remaining on board side. Godowns on SATURDAY, 23rd January,

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex s.s. Dordogne and Matapan; from HAVRE et s.s. Matapan; from Bordeaux ex s.s. President Leroy Lallier, Ville de Dunkergne & Ville Valencienne, in connection with the above Steamer, are here by informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks THE Steamship into the hazardous and/or extra hazar dous Godowns of the Hongrong & Kow LOON WHARP and GODOWN COMPANY, LED. at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob tained immediately after landing.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or which date they cannot be recognised.

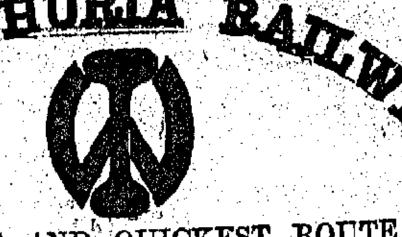
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS.

Optional Goods will be landed here un-Goods not cleared by the 22nd inst., at

Damuged packages must be left in the signes's and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted



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# Notices to Consignees

Hongkong, January 1, 1909.

FROM EUROPE.

signess of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take tmmediate delivery of their Goods from

alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the hazardous and/or extra hazardons Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after

remaining undelivered after the 20th inst., will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 19th inst., at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

which date they cannot be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE, Hongkong Office. Hongkong, January 13, 1909.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUITA. THE Steamship Jupan having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees THE Steamship Arratoon Apear having of Cargo are hereby informed that their arrived from the above ports, Con-Goods will be delivered from alongside. at Consignees' risk and expense.

Consiguess of cargo from Singapore and Penang are requested to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside, such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and supense. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by he Undersigned. DAVID SASSOON & Co., LD., Hongkong, January 18, 1909.

AMERICAN & MANCHURIAN LINE. FROM NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. Captain Lestie, having arrived from the above port, Consignees of Cargo are hereby

at their risk into the Godown of the Hongkong and Kowloon Whari and Godown Co., Ld., Kowloon, and stored at Consignees risk and expense. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods

informed that their goods are being landed

All Claims must be presented within fifteen days of the steamer's arrival here after No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and All damaged packages will be examined Goods remaining undalivered after the 21st inst, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

Hongkong, January 15, 1909. FROM EUROPE.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

THE H.A.L. Steamship PROM ANTWERP, LONDON, MALTA, Captain Peres, having arrived, Consigness of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are hereby informed immediate—delivery of their goods from Contract Consideration of their goods from Contract Contrac Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the hazardons and/or extra hazardous Godowns of Hongkong and Rowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, and stored at Consignees risk and All Claims must be presented within tem

which date they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd of net, will be subject to rent. All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 25th of January,

days of the steamer's arrival bere, after

No Fire Insurance has been effected. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIK. Houghoug Office. Hongkong, January 16, 1909.

# Notices to Consignees.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE

NURDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship

having arrived. Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Tressure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hougkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company. Limited, Kowloon, and West Point Godowns whence delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 20th of January, 1939, will be subject to rent.

are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th of January, at 9.30 a.m. All claims must reach us before the 24th of Jacuary, 1909, or they will not be re-No Fire Insurance will be effected.

All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, MELCHERS & CO. General Agents.

Hougkong, January 14, 1809.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND MOJI.

landed at Consignees risk and expense into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongroud and Kow-LOON WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by he Undersigned. D. SASSOON & Co., LD. Hongkong, January 16, 1909.

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#### HONGKONG ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

At a meeting of the Hongkong Association Football League held last night a letter was read from the Hongkong Daily Prote offering a cup as a trophy to be competed for by teams in the League, the cup to be held by the winning team for a year and not to become the absolute property of any one club unless won three years in succession. The Committee unanimously decided to accept the offer and instructed the Secretary to convey to the donors an

A meeting of those interested in football | without any charges. is to be held on Friday, January 29th, to discuss the advisability of forming a Foot- important as a new step in the friendly at 5-30 p.m. at the Y.M.C.A. rooms.

### SPORTING.

# Hockey.

KOWLOON C. C. v. THE BUFFS. This match will be played to morrow evening at King's Park when the Kowloon only happened at a great distance, but team will be :- S. Lightfoot, A. N. Storrie, the relations between China and Italy H. Schluke, D. Neilson, H. C. Clements, C. W. Jeffries, J. H. Mead, C. E. Libeaud, H. J. Blackburn, J. Clelland, W. N. Edward. S. C., C. U. H. M. S. KING ALFRED.

the S.C.C. and a team representing the indication that China intends to enter flagship King Alfred. From the commencement the Navy took ing of that expression. It has been very up the attack and kept the ball in the Club gratifying for the Italian Consul General. quarters. After some minutes, the S.C.C. Mr Volpicelli, who has spent the greater broke away and the outside left ran the and the best part of his life in China (he ball down and controd right across the goal has been a resident for over 27 years) to mouth. The rest of the forwards were not be the recipient of this first gift inspired Chinese. up, however, and an excellent chance was by international philanthropy. missed. The same player had a shot at goal a minute later and almost scored. From a corner, the Club very nearly netted the To-day's Advertisements & Co.

ball. The S.C.C. kept up the pressure and Gold had a try. His shot just grazed the upright. The King Alfred's goal-keeper was tosted several times and cleared eleverly. Gold then had a shot close in and the ONVERSATIONAL OHINESE taught ball glanced off the post into the goal. U by a fully qualified Lady. Also English The sailors raced the ball down, but a Lessons given in reading and writing. likely shot was spoiled by the bumpy Terms moderate. ground. Towards the end of the first half, the S.C.C. again had the best of the play, and a shot from Eddis skimmed the bar. At half time, the score was: -King Alfred. nil. S.C.C. one goal. On restarting, play ruled fairly even and both goals were visited in turn. The Club team settled down after a bit and improved in play. The kept up an attack on the sailors' goal and custodian was kept busy. During a scrimmage near the goal mouth. Gold succeeded 112 o'clock. in scoring a second time. It is doubtful if the keeper saw the ball before it was too late, as his view was blocked. Gold kept up his reputation as a goal getter by rushing a third ball into the net. The keeper had some difficulty in getting it away and Gold

a fast shot from fairly close in. No further scoring took place and at the be let together or soparately. call of time the Club won by a comfortable margin, four goals to nil. Gardiner (of the Telegraph) was the eleverest player on the field and stopped the King Alfreds repeatedly. He is a very useful half.—

swooped down and rushed it past him.

#### OPIUM ON S.S. RUBI CONFIS CATED.

Chief Officer Lawson and Second Engineer McCormack, of the China-Manila liner Rubi, were placed under arrest by representative of the Insular Custom Secret Service, at Manila, on January 15. and were left behind in the Philippines when the steamer came over this trip. In the case of Second Engineer McCormack it as alleged that he had opium in his possession. Against Chief Officer Lawson no such charge was made, but it is claimed that the Rubi's mate objected to the arrest of the engineer, which objection caused the secret service man to request his presence at the Customs

According to the story of the Second Engineer, a careful inspection of the Rubi was being made for opium. It is a well known fact that the Chinese crew of the Hougkong liners never overlook a chance to bring a quantity of the drug to Manila. hoping always that an opportunity will present itself for getting it ashore.

Engineer McCormack was going over the Rubi with a fine tooth comb and way down into the ships bowelry and underneath a pile of coal he brought to light ten tins of the dope. That he was more or less elated over his-find-goes without saying, THE Steamship and as he was ascending the companion | MONTGOMERYSHIRE, oplum. They profess entire innocence in inst., at 3 r.m.

the matter. Chief Officer Lawson and Second Engineer McCormack were taken to the office | which date they cannot be recognised. of Chief Lawler of the Customs secret No claims will be admitted after the service. They were then taken to Meisle Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods station. McCormack's bond was placed at remaining undelivered after the 25th inst. P2,500 and Lawson's was fixed at P500. will be subject to rent. The securities not being forthcoming the No Fire Insurance has been effected.

We have been informed that the facts of the case are as follows :- Before entering the port the ship is always searched for contraband, but while lying in the harbour this time the chief engineer told the third to make a thorough search of the bunkers. This he did, and, while passing through the side bunker to the cross bunker, he gaw a Chinaman (one of the tallymen) dart out. On going back to the spot he found a piece of metting, on raising which he found ten tins of opium covered by some straw. or some such material. Meanwhile the semet service force had boarded the ship to make their search, and as the engineer was making his way on deck to report his find he was arrested. The Chief Officer, we minderstand, would not allow his men to on board and until a warrant was produced bearing the signature of the British Consul He (the chief officer) was also arrested for obstructing the official in his duties.
The argument for the prosecution is that the man was found with the opium in his averagion and was cities changing its siding place or intended to throw it over

#### CHINESE SYMPATHY WITH ITALY'S MISFORTUNES.

This morning, the Viceroy of Canton sent an official to the Italian Consulate General with a cheque of ten thousand dollars (Hongkong notes) for the sufferers from the earthquake in Southern Italy. Mr Volpicelli at once wired his thanks and will send a despatch to morrow. He will also call on the Viceroy as soon as the period of mourning is over.

The Italian Consul General took the expression of their appreciation of the choque at once to the Hongkong and Shagvaluable gift. The members expressed the hai Bank, and had the money transferred Haiphong and Holhow Jan. 17, itice, Pigs conviction that this trophy would help in telegraphically to the Banca d'Italia at stimulating interest in the newly-established Rome, informing his Government at the League and that the standard of football in same time. The Hongkong and Shanghai the colony would incidentally be improved. Bank very kindly transferred the money & Swing.

This generous gift of the Vicerov is

ball Association, affiliated to the English relations between China and foreign Bussan Kaisha. Football Association, to govern the game in countries. If our memory does not fail us. the Colony. The meeting is to commence this is the first instance of China taking part officially in a work of international assistance for a great calamity that has taken place at such a distance. and where there are no Chinese emigrants. China sent assistance at the time of the San Francisco carthquake, but in that city there are very many Chinese residents who have their friends and January 16, Sleepers, Wine, &c.-NIPPON relations, especially in Southern China, Yusen Kaisha. The disaster at Messina and Reggio not have been hitherto very rare, Italy has no colonies for the Chinese to emigrate to, and she generally buys silk through foreign firms; until China began & Swine. to build railways very few Italians came to China, and they are still not very numerous. The gift of the Canton Viceroy must An interesting game of hockey was play. therefore be considered as a purely ed on the Esplanade, Singapore, between philanthropic act, and as a further the comity of nations in the highest mean-

NOTIOE.

Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office. Hongkong, January 19, 1909.

NOTICE.

of the HONGKONG BENEVOLENT | Tiliwong, for Batavia, SOCIETY will be held at the OITY Gerd, for Bangkek. HALL, on WEDNESDAY, 27th inst., at Merico, for Shanghai. Consul General WILDER has kindly consented to take the Chair.

TO LET.

Hongkong, January 19, 1909,

little later Eddis scored a fourth point with NOS. 8 and 10, WYNDHAM STREET | Pdemachus, for Singapore and Liverpool. containing & Large Rooms each. Can Apply to

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM HAMBURG, MIDDLES- yard, Mr F. Appleyard, Mr and Mrs R. A. BOROUGH, LONDON, PORT SAID Wilson and child, Mr and Mrs H. A. FROM HAMBURG, MIDDLES-AND STRAITS.

way to the upper levels of the ship he was Captain Jackson, having arrived from Pith and family, Mr and Mrs A. B. Hulse. accosted by a Filipino secreto who spied the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo Mr T. E. Welch, Mr Wm. B. Hull, Conthe opium, and the Insular official politely are hereby informed that their Goods are sail Du Rossin, Mr K. Matsuda, and Mrs but firmly informed the engineer that being landed at their risk into the Godowns A. B. Barber. he was under arrest. McCormack was of the Hongkong and Kowloon WHARP

interposed and raised decided objections to All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods Messre A. E. Drucker, J. B. Thompson, were brought ashore together with the will be examined on MONDAY, the 25th Crawford and W. P. Dempster. All Claims must be presented within fifteen days of the steamer's arrival hore after

men remained at the station.—Manda Bills of Lading will be countereigned by Duly Bulletin.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

Hongkong, January 19, 1909. VESSELS AT THE DOCKS. At Koroloon .- Michael Jebsen, H.M.S. and fallen in Japan.

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Whiting, Arabia, Hongkong,

Comopolitan.-Helene.

Hongkong, Jan. 19, 1999. SAKOMETER— REPRESENTER lru. Do. (Wet bulb) . 0 T.H. . I P. M. Do. Do. Do. Maximum Do Minimum over pight

# SHIPPING

ARRIVALS. January 17.

Ichang, British steamer, 1,225, Tubbin, Chinking Jan. 14. Coneral. - BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

January 18, Rubi, British str., 1,619, R. W. Almond, Manila January 16, General, -SHEWAN, Tomes & Co.

Bingo Maru, Japanese fatr., 3,875, A Christiansen, Shanghai Jan. 16. General. -NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Triumph, German str., 769, J.C. Hansen,

and General. - Jessen & Co. Pakhoi, British str., 1,226, A. Walker,

Taikesan Maru, Japanese str., 3,217, I. Fukui, Moji January 13, Coal .-- MITSUI

King Alfred, British cruiser, 14,000, C. Baker, from Singapore. January 19.

Haimun, British str., 656, J. W. Evans, Swatow January 18, General .- Douglas STEAMSHIP Co. Yawata Maru, Japanese str., 2,366, T. Sekine, Melbourne Dec. 23, and Manila

Samsen, German str., 998, F. Schmetz, Banakok Jan. 8. Rice. — Butterfield &

Anghin; German str., 1,000, C. Kümpel, Bangkok Jan. 8. General.—BUTTERFIELD

Kumano Maru, Japanese str., 3,147, N. Mathieson, Nagasaki January 15, General. The Glen s.s. Glenstrae left Singapore on -Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Persia. Austrian str., 3,779, G. Bartole, Kobe and Shanghal January 16, General, The -Sander. Wieler & Co.

Telemachus, British str., 4,725, J. H Goodwin, Yokohama January 9, General. -Butterfield & Swire. Glenfalloch, British str., 1,413, Hains-

worth, Singapore January 12, General .-W. Jackeon, London Nov. 28, and Singa-

pore Jan. 12. General. - SHEWAN, Tomes Kwongsang, British str., frem Canton.

DEPARTURES. January 19. Tenyo Maru, for Shanghai and San Fran- The N. Y. K. s.s. Aki Maru (American Mr H. Flower

Tonkin, for Europe, &c. Jacob Diederichsen, for Pakhoi. Kaqeshima Maru, for Moji. Tjimahi, for Shanghai. Hailan, for Pakhoi, Tango Maru, for Shanghai and Seattle. Hupeh, for Holhow. Haitan, for Swatow. THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING! Kumsang, for Singapore.

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Ichana, for Canton. Pakhoi, for Canton.

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Per Yawata Maru, from Sydney, &c. : for Hongkong, Mr H. Flower, Mr E. Wagner, Rev. Bishop Brent, Mr L. S. Ford, Capt. and Mrs F. M. Barber, Mr and Mrs A. B. Hulse, Mr and Mrs H. M. Pitt and 3 children, Mr W. E. Musgrave, Miss M. P. Waterman, Mr H. O. Mc-Grachin, Messra R. D. Heins, F. P. Co. Mr and Mrs A. Chiaverine, Mr Engeter, Mr and Mrs A. B. Barber, Mrs F. B McGree and child, Miss Delevate, Mr H. O. Campbell, MrsA. Edgar, Miss D. Edgar,

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for Hongkoug, Messrs M. W. Mumma, W. Wynne, H. Pollock, Miss B. Milligan, Kreil, Mr Ch. Smith, and Mr S. Akiyama; next, the 21st inst.

Mrs E. O. Sharpe, Mr Miyasaki, Surg. and Mrs C. P. Kindleberger, Mr J. Apple. here on the 1st inst. Stewart and child, Mrs E. A. Clark, Mr Shanghai via Dalny and Siberia. A. L. Rhodes, Mrs A. K. Lee, Mr F. F. Chye and family, Rev. E. W. Thurng, Mr F. C. Focken, S. B. Thompson, Mr H. M.

ready to comply with the request, but and Godown Co., Ltd., at Kowloon, and F. Welch, Mr and Mrs W. C. Athouse, Mr It is claimed that Chief Officer Lawson stored at Consignees risk and expense. and Mrs D. Ruston, Dr H. W. Jones, the arrest of his engineer. Both officers are to be left in the Godowns, where they | E. A. Smith, O. D. F. Redford, A. G.

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C. H. Brent, Messes E. Wagner, Y. B. Angles, Mrs C. E. Couling, Rev. A. Margnez, Messrs C. Murakami, K. Murakami, and Takaishi.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Mr lgg of the Hongkong Observatory :-On the 19th at 11.45 a .- The barometer has risen over Central and Northern China. A depression, which has developed over

the Eastern Sea, is approaching S.W. The area of high pressure extending over N. China appears to be of considerable in- For SHANGHAL. tensity, and the monsoon is expected to become very strong in the Formosa Channel and the N. part of the China Sea. Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours end-

ing at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches.
Forecast for the 24 hours ending 45 noon BO-IDORTOW :---I .- Hongkong and Naighbourhood: N and N.E. winds, freshering considerably a 2 Formosa Channel N.E. winds For MANILL strong to a gale.

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STEAMER MOVEMENTS

Swatow Jan. 17, General.—Butterfield The P. & O. Co. a s.s. Decanda with the ENGLISH MATL of the 25th Dec., left Singspore on Saturday, the 16th Jan., at & p.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 21st Jan., at 8 a.m. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 24th Nov., and the parcel mails closed in London for despatch by the all sea route on the 16th Dec., and for despatch overland on the 23rd Dec. e Imp. German Mail s.s. Manila left Sydney on Wednesday, the 13th Jan., p.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the Srd February.

> rive at 9 p.m. on Tnesday, the 19th January.

Expected. the 13th January, and may be expect. Mr P. R. Adams ed to arrive here on the 19th January. Miss C. A. Baker Swedish steamship Yeddo passed Capt. & Mrs Barber, Mrs Leeser Singapore on the afternoon of the 12th January, and may be expected here on Dr G. D. R. Black or about. Tuesday, the 19th January, Miss H. Caddick

The N. Y. K. s.s. Tamba Maru (European Mr H. L. Condon Line) left Singapore for this port on here on the 21st January. Montgomerushire, British str., 3,663, G. The German s.e. Borneo left Sandakan on Saturday, the 16th January, and may

be expected here on or about Friday, Miss Dougan the 22nd January. The N. Y. K. s.s. Yeterofu Maru (Bombay Line) left Kobe for this port via Mojt

Line) left Kobe for this port via Moji Mr Denman Fuller and Shanghai on the 15th January, Mr S. J. Fuller and is expected here on the 24th Jan. The N. Y. K. s.s. Kamo Maru (European | Mrs W. C. Grant Line) left Kobe for this port via Moji Mr R. A. Gubbay and Shanghai on 16th January, and is Capt. T. P. Hall expected here on the 25th January. The N. Y. K. s.s. Moyori Maru (Bombay W. W. Hardwick, Count Reedern Line) left Bombay for this port via

expected here on the 28th January. | Mr G. V. Hayes The E & A. steamer Aldenham left Syd. Hon, Mr E. A. HewettMr C. M. Smith ney on 16th January for Queensland Miss Horne Ports, Port Darwin, Manila and this Mr E. H. Hull The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s s.s Namsang Miss J. de L. Keys Mr H. P. Thomas lest Calcutta for this port via The Miss H. Keys Straits on the 15th January, and may Mr A. Kreidl

be expected here on or about the 31st | Mr G. M. Lack January. The Danish ste ship Cathau left Port Said on the 11th January, and may be expected here on or about middle of next month. The s.s. Adate left Seattle for Hougkong via Japanese ports on the 24th Dec.

The Chargeurs Reunis a.s. Amiral Du- Mrs E. A. Clark Mr H. N. Mody perre is expected to arrive at this port Mr G. H. Corss Miss Mylin on or about the 27th January, and Mrs Crawlie probably will leave on the same date for Shanghai, Japan and San Fran-Latest Advices.

chorane, J. E. Williams, C. H. Loeber, The Imp. German Mail s.t. Derflinger which left here on Wednesday, he Mr A. R. Fenten 13th January, at noon, arrived at Mr F. C. Focken Singapore on the 17th January, at 3 Mr N. E. Gibson

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Correspondence for EUROPE via SIBERIA, is forwarded from HONGKONG Mr Geo. Harrison

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The Publicare informed that the next Mr J Polloway Mr Sllynes Miss C. Fritsch, Mrs J. Shaw, Miss N. E. outgoing Pavcel Mail to the United King. Mr & Mrs Inchausti Mr E. A. Smith Shaw, Miss M. M. Shaw, Messrs W. G. dom and other parts of the world will be Mr and Mrs Ingenchi Miss A. Square

for Colombo, Lieut. R. Schomberg, Lieut. The Postmaster General, London, states Mr and Mrs A. C. Mr H. Taylor K. F. Robertson, Mr and Mrs MacLeod, that for the present the necessary arrange. Little Mr and Mrs Roza and 4 children, and Mr ments for the transmission of Cash on Miss M. Lloyd Webb; for Marseilles, Commander K. Delivery Parcels from the United Ringdom Capt. B. Lundholm Mr D. de Vemeneta Matsumura ; for London, Capt. R. Lin. to Hongkong are not completed at that Mr and Mrs W. S. Dr Weis coln, Mrs S. McGill, and Mr S. Stewart, and Lue notice will be given as soon as a Per Tenyo Maru, for San Francisco. date can be fixed for the commencement of &c., Mr A. Wistezenus and child, Mr and the outward service. This does not effect the Homeward service which commenced

Approximate times of closing mails at

28th January .....at 8:30 p.m. POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will Close :-

For HAIPHONG. Per Singan, ab 9 a.m., on Wednesday, Mr A. E. Drucher the 20th Jan. For SWATOW. Per Haimun, at Il s.m., on Wednesday, the 20th Jan.

For SINGAPORE. Per Muncaster Castle, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 20th Jan. For SAIGON. Per Dagny, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, Mr W. Hamilton. Mr E. Schwager the 20th Jan

the 20th Jan, For MACAU. For MANILA.

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MOJI.--

the 20th Jan. Per Anhui, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the Mrs G. Lamb 20th Jan. For SWATOW, AMOY, FOOCHOW & SHANGHAL.— Per Chothun Maru, at 5 p.m., on Wed. I Miss Dismond nesday, the 20th Jan. For SAIGON .-

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EXCHANGE. Hongkong, January 19, 1909. On London— Bank Wire ... .. On demand, ... ,, 30 days' sight ... ... ... 4 months' sight ... Credits. 4 months' sight. Documentary, 4 months' sight ...1/9 On Paris.... On demand, ... Credite. 4 months' sight. On Berlin-On demand, ... ()a New York-On demand, ... ... ... Credit, 60 days' sight ... ... 445 Ou Bombay.... Wire. On demand. On Calcutta -On Singapore— On demand, ... On Manila-On demand. ... On Shanghai— On demand, ... ... 747 30 days' sight, (private paper) ... 758 On Yokohama-On demand, .... Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael) Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) ...\$11.05 Silver (per oz.)... ... ... 248 Bar Silver in Hongkong... e C. P. R. Co. a s.e. Empress of China Chinese Copper Cash ... ... arrived at Kobe at noon, on Saturday, | Copper Cents,... ... ... 15 %dis. the 16th January, and left again at Rate of Native Interest ... ... %p.m. midnight the same day via Nagasaki Chinese Sub. Coin ... ... \$51 / dis. for Shanghai, where she is due to ar- Hongkong Sub. Coin ... \$51 % dis.

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Mr E. H. Ray Dr Gerhauser Mr A. L. Rhodes Mr C. W. Roberts Mr M. A. Robinson Mrs R. Rodger and Engineer Commander child Mr W. H. Rushton Singapore on the 7th January, and is Dr J. E. Hansmann Miss F. E. Sanden Mr W. Schonian

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